

**PATENT APPLICATION**

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 3616**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Tatsuya HAYAKAWA et al.

Group Art Unit: 3616

Application No.: 10/542,648

Examiner: T. WILHELM

Filed: July 19, 2005

Docket No.: 124515

For: KNEE PROTECTION APPARATUS FOR VEHICLE OCCUPANT

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the December 7, 2009 Office Action, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**

OK TO ENTER: /TW/

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APPROVED: /PD/